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Since 1995, the Office of Institutional Research has published an annual college factbook, to provide data for planning and reporting purposes and to serve as a source for consistent answers to frequently asked questions about MassArt. Beginning with the 1997/98 edition, MassArt Facts will be published on a three year cycle. The college has entered a period of relative stability in enrollment, and most data does not change quickly enough to warrant a full update every year. For example, fall 1998 headcount changed less than one percent from fall 1997, while full-time equivalent enrollment increased only two percent.

This brief interim report updates the most critical and frequently requested data elements for fall 1998. These include fall enrollment and demographic statistics, degrees awarded in the last academic year, and summary financial data for fiscal year 1997/98. If the information you need is not here, we can update other data on request.

Copies of the full third edition of *MassArt Facts* are still available from the Institutional Research office; it includes additional information about, students, faculty, staff, finances, and enrollment trends, as well as the college's history and mission statement.

As in previous years, a standard census date for student enrollment was used. Fall 1998 statistics were generated at the end of the drop/add periods for Day and PCE programs, about the last week of September.

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Established in 1873, Massachusetts College of Art was the first and remains the only four-year independent public college of art and design in the US. The college is nationally known for offering broad access to a quality professional arts education, accompanied by a strong general education in the liberal arts. A major cultural force in Boston, MassArt offers public programs of innovative exhibitions, lectures and events.

	Day	PCE	Total
Full-time	1222	69	1291
Part-time	89	933	1022
Total Headcount	1311	1002	2313
Full-time Equivalent	1268	345	1613

Fall 1998 Enrollment Summary



-	Headcount	Percent
Bachelor of Fine Arts	27	3%
Design Certificate	81	8%
Teaching Certificate	8	1%
MS in Art Education	51	5%
Master of Fine Arts	44	4%
Non-degree	791	79%
Total	1002	100%

PCE Enrollment by Program, Fall 1998

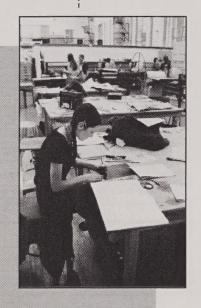


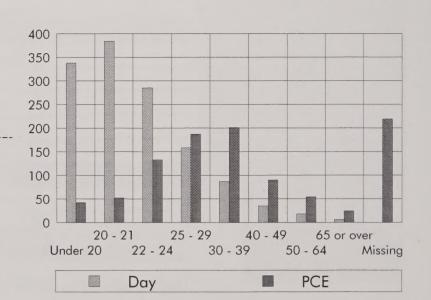


	Major 1	Major 2	All Majors	Percent
Undeclared/ Studio Foundation	288	0	288	22%
Open Majors	2	0	2	0%_
Art Education	64	2	66	5%_
Art History	5	6	11	1%
Design (total)	392	13	405	31%
Architectural	21	1	22	2%
Industrial	51	2	53	4%
Fashion	52	1	53	4%
Graphic	145	2	147	11%
Illustration	123	7	130	10%
Fine Arts 2D (total)	189	20	209	16%
Painting	162	15	177	14%
Printmaking	27	5	32	2%
Fine Arts 3D (total)	176	22	198	15%
Ceramics	25	1	26	2%_
Glass	26	3	29	2%
Fibers	17	1	18	1%
Metals	25	2	27	2%
Sculpture	84	15	99	8%
Media and Performing Arts (total)	196	24	220	17%
Film	43	5	48	4%
Photography	95	12	107	8%
Studio for Interrelated Media	56	7	63	5%
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	Day/Total	Day Percentage	PCE/Total	PCE Percentage	All Students	Total Percentage
Under 20	338	26%	42	4%	380	16%
20-21	384	29%	52	5%	436	19%
22-24	285	22%	133	13%	418	18%
25-29	158	12%	187	19%	345	15%
30-39	87	7%	201	20%	288	12.5%
40-49	35	3%	90	9%	125	5.5%
50-64	18	1%	54	5.5%	72	3%
65 or over	6	0%	24	2.5%	30	1%
Missing	0	0%	219	22%	219	10%
Total	1311	100%	1002	100%	2313	100%
Average Age	23.4		32.3		26.7	

Enrollment by Age, Fall 1998



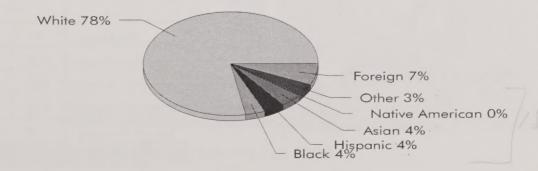


	Day Male	Day Female	PCE Male	PCE Female	All
White	338	509	126	251	1224
Black	25	19	8	6	58
Hispanic	28	22	4	6	60
Asian	17	28	4	17	66
Native American	1	1	2	2	6
Other	14	23	7	11	55
Unknown	73	134	193	340	739
Foreign	19	60	4	21	104
Total	515	796	348	654	2313

Enrollment by Gender and Racial/ Ethnic Background, Fall 1998

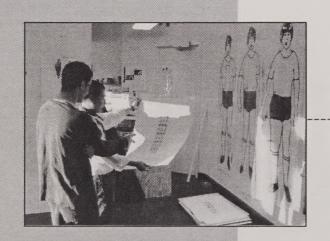


Enrollment by Ethnic Background



	Students	Percent		Students	Percent
Alabama	1	0.1%	New Mexico	1	0.1%
Arizona	1	0.1%	New York	35	2.7%
California	6	0.5%	North Dakota	1	0.1%
Connecticut	50	3.8%	Ohio	4	0.3%
District of Columbia	1	0.1%	Oregon	1	0.1%
Florida	6	0.5%	Pennsylvania	6	0.5%
Georgia	1	0.1%	Puerto Rico	2	0.2%
Hawaii	1	0.1%	Rhode Island	34	2.6%
Illinois	5	0.4%	South Carolina	1	0.1%
Kansas	1	0.1%	Tennessee	2	0.2%
Louisiana	1	0.1%	Texas	2	0.2%
Maine	48	3.7%	Utah	1	0.1%
Maryland	5	0.4%	Vermont	19	1.4%
Massachusetts	926	70.6%	Virginia	2	0.2%
Michigan	3	0.2%	Washington	4	0.3%
New Hampshire	46	3.5%	Wisconsin	1	0.1%
New Jersey	16	1.2%			

Day Students by State, Fall 1998



Day Students by Permanent Residence, Fall 1998

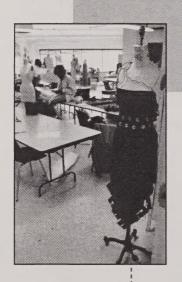
	In State	Out of State	N.E.B.H.E.	Foreign
Freshman	199	38	40	14
Sophomore	230	34	40	14
Junior	235	23	33	24
Senior	282	32	34	27
Special Students	8	2	0	1
Total	954	127	147	80

	Day	PCE	Percent
Argentina	2	1	2.9
Australia	1	0	1.0%
Bahrain	1	0	1.0%
Brazil	1	0	1.0%
 Chile	0	1	1.0%
China	1	2	2.9%
Columbia	2	2	3.8%
Croatia	1	0	1.0%
Cyprus	2	0	2.5%
England	2	. 0	2.5%
Ethiopia	1	0	1.0%
France	1	0	1.0%
Germany	3	1	3.8%
Greece	1	0	1.3%
Honduras	1	0	1.3%
Hong Kong	4	0	3.8%
India	3	0	2.9%
Indonesia	1	0	1.3%
Israel	5	0	4.8%
Japan	15	2	16.3%
Korea	9	2	10.6%
Kuwait	0	1	1.0%
Lebanon	1	1	1.9%
Malaysia	1	0	1.0%
Mexico	1	1	1.9%
Norway	2	0	1.9%
Pakistan	1	0	1.0%
Spain	2	0	1.9%
Sweden	1	0	1.0%
Taiwan	4	3	6.7%
Thailand	4	0	3.8%
Turkey	1	0	1.0%
Venezuela	3	0	2.9%
Yugoslavia	1	0	1.0%
Total	79	25	100%

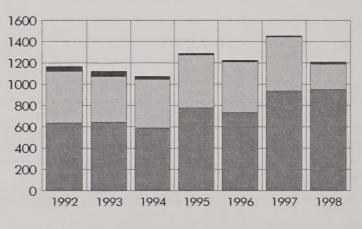
Foreign Students by Country, Fall 1998

	Total	Admitted	Accept Rate	Enrolled	Yield Rate
First-time Freshmen	950	465	49%	215	46%
Transfer Freshmen	238	122	51%	71	58%
Sophomores & Juniors	314	86	27%	58	67%
Special Students	20	14	70%	8	57%
Day School Applications	1522	687	45%	352	51%
Graduate Art Education	49	23	47%	17	74%
Master of Fine Art	257	39	15%	26	67%
Design Certificate	30	20	67%	17	85%
PCE Applications	327	82	25%	60	73%
Total Applications	1849	769	42%	412	54%

MassArt Applications and Acceptances, Fall 1998



Undergraduate Applications, 1992 - 1998

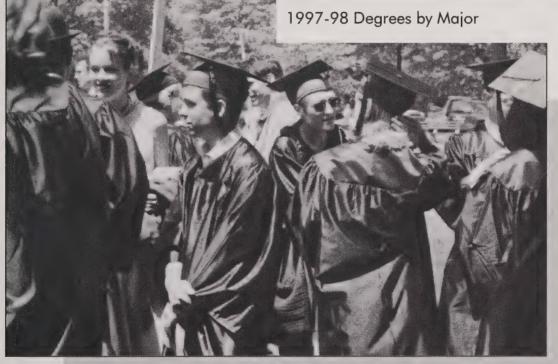


Freshmen

Transfers

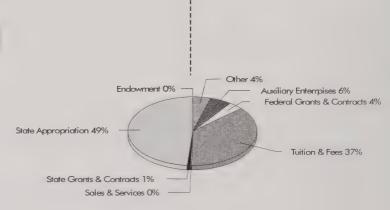
Special Students

BFA	MFA/ MSAE	Certificates	Totals
15	10	1	26
4	0	0	4
60	3	19	82
38	8	0	46
39	6	0	45
38	20	0	58
3	0	0	3
197	47	20	264
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Tuition & Fees	\$9,085,146
State Appropriations	\$12,020,356
Federal Grants & Contracts	\$881,519
State Grants & Contracts	\$201,846
Endowment Income	\$16,358
Sales & Services	\$116,825
Auxiliary Enterprises	\$1,387,536
Other Sources	\$1,073,211
Total	\$24,782,797

Current Revenue by Source Fiscal Year 1998



Public Service 1%	Instruction 35%		
Student Services 10% Institutional Support 14%	Academic Support 11%		
Operation & Maintenance 16%	Scholarships 6% Auxilliary Enterrpises 6%	Instruction	\$8,781,128
!	Transfers 1%	Public Service	\$356,860
		Academic Support	\$2,494,239
		Student Services	\$2,472,274
	_	Institutional Support	\$3,396,508
	_	Operations & Maintenance	\$4,137,567
		Scholarships & Fellowships	\$1,502,102
	_	Mandatory Transfers	\$160,798
		Non-mandatory Transfers	\$47,748
		Auxiliary Enterprises	\$1,608,003
	<u>.</u>	Total	\$24,957,227

Current Expenditures by Function Fiscal Year 1998





